



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

MAR - 2 2004

Ahmed Bouzid, President
Palestine Media Watch
PO Box 628
Wayne, PA 19399

RE: MUR 5281

Dear Mr. Bouzid:

On February 20, 2004, the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe that Palestine Media Watch violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441b and 441d, provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"), and found no reason to believe that Palestine Media Watch violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(c). The Commission determined to take no action with respect to www.pmwatch.org and www.voteHilliard.org. After considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission also determined to take no further action against Palestine Media Watch and closed its file. A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

The Commission reminds you that disseminating express advocacy corporate communications to members of the general public, and failing to include disclaimers in express advocacy communications made through general public political advertising, are violations of the Act. You should take steps to ensure that this activity does not occur in the future.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact Thomas Andersen, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bradley A. Smith".

Bradley A. Smith
Chairman

Enclosure
General Counsel's Report